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Introductory Comments/Interview Summary:

Pluse lathe Amendment P. Spirack The Final Office Action mailed June 23, 2005 has been carefully studied. This Amendment is in response to a Final Office Action mailed June 23, 2005, and an interview conducted on September 7, 2005 by Examiner Spivack and Applicant's representatives Albert Halluin and Loreli Westin. Reconsideration of the Final Office Action is respectfully requested.

An Amendment to the Specification is reflected on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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